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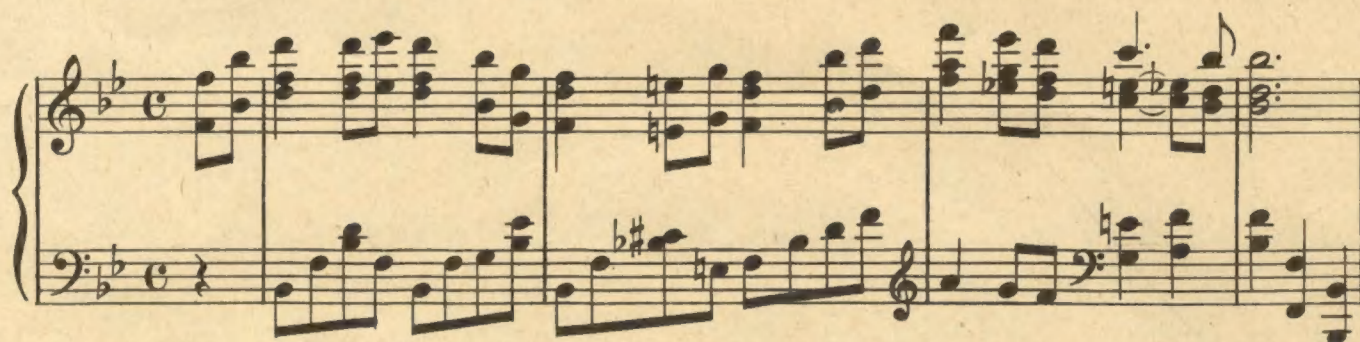
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Thy sil - ver - y streams spar - kle bright in the sun, The
We hail thee Miss - our - i thro' long years to come, May

The first vocal line is written on a single staff with lyrics underneath. The piano accompaniment is written on two staves below the vocal line. The melody is simple and follows the rhythm of the lyrics.

soft breez - es sway each tree While —
God's lov - ing watch care be thine And —

The second vocal line continues the melody from the first line. The piano accompaniment provides a steady harmonic support. The lyrics end with a long dash, indicating a continuation or a pause in the music.

sweet - est of war - blers high up in the boughs, Sing prais - es, Missour - i of
o'er thee still bright - er as time rolls a - long, May the star of thy des - ti - ny

thee. The herds on thy hill - tops are knee deep in sweets, Thy
shine. We hail thee the home of con - tent - ment and peace, May

or - chards o'er-bur-dened bend low, While safe in thy depths sleep the
nev - er mis-for-tune be - fall, Tho we wan - der a - far still our

rich - est of gems, And o ver thee smiles heav - ens blue.
hearts fond - ly turn, To Miss-our - i the pride of us all.

CHORUS

Mis - sou - ri, Mis - sou - ri, Grand old Mis - sou - ri, We

ea - ger - ly list to thy call, The

Queen of the West, ev - er hap - py and blest, Mis -

sour - i the pride of us. all.

